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## LABOUR MARKET

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**Whalers, A. H.** ..... 150th day.  
**Dies** ..... 146th day.  
**Dr. J. M. HAIGH, General Commissioner and Labour Agent,**  
 December 7. 41, Pitt-street North, Sydney.

The past week has been unusually active in the labour market, many engagements have been made. There have included the British Royal Mail Steamer "Reliance," which will sail as domestic servants for home stations, and private families and on farms, as well as single men for also boarding. Bulkier drivers, especially from the United Kingdom, have been scarce, as well as Irish.

A Kate arrived on Tuesday, from Portsmouth, with 239 Government immigrants.

The rates have sustained no material alteration, and are as follows:—

COUNTRY WAGES (WITH RATINGS).			
	s.	d.	d.
Pura Labourers .....	25	0	0
German ditto .....	25	0	0
Bullerian ditto .....	25	0	0
Shepherds .....	25	0	0
Italian & German shepherds ..	25	0	27 10
Butchers .....	25	0	0
Hutepipers .....	20	0	0
Fitting couples .....	40	0	0
German ditto .....	10	0	0
Shavers, per score .....	0	3	6
Barbers .....	10	0	0
Blacksmiths, per week not bound .....	2	10	0
"do do 100, per week .....	0	18	0
Prismakers, per 1000 ditto ..	3	0	0
Cooking SACS (LIVING) .....	TRA	NOV	0
Frankie cooks .....	25	0	30
Landresses .....	25	0	30
Washing .....	15	0	0
Vails .....	15	0	0
Housemaids .....	15	0	0
Scummen .....	15	0	0
Labourers, in town, per day ..	0	8	0
"do do, in country .....	0	8	0
SUM .....	30	0	40

**OLIVER STAINES, Labour Agent,**  
 (Three Doors below Herald Office.)  
 December 7. Lower George-street, Sydney.

**PRICES OF ACQUISITION.**

An average amount of business has been transacted this week in meat and sheep markets, and the prices were much higher than

DESCRIPTION.	Dividend per Annun last declared.	Paid up each Share.	PAID.
Bank of N. S. Wales	£10 per cent.	£30	£51
Commercial Bank...	24	35	£40.
Austral. J. B. Bank	8	10	£10 5s.
Bank of Australia	24	35	None offered.
Union Bank of Aust.	30	35	110 to 120 p. s. prm.
Gas Light Company	10	5 10 s.	£10.
A. S. Navigation Co.	10	20	£17 10s. to £18
W. & A. Babington	10	20	£10.
North Shore Bm. Co.	10	8	
Genl. Assurance Co.	20	5	£7 to £7 10s.
W. W. Martin	10	10	£10.
H. R. N. S. New Co.	10	£10	£10.
Hydro Electric Co.	10	20	£10.
Fire & Assurance Co.	10	21	£1 to £1 5s.
Bathurst Cop. Min. Co.	10	10s.	
Opahs Cop. Mining Co.	10	10s.	
Perseus C. & C. Co.	10	10s.	
Carnarvon. Copper	10	10s.	
Mining Company...	10	10s.	
Pureo Golden Bm. Co.	10	10s.	
Gold Nugget Vein...	10	10s.	
Wentworth Gold Co.	10	10s.	
N. W. Gov. Duben.	3 1/2 p. e. p. dm.		5 per cent. dis.
Victoria Gov. Deben.	6 p. p. ann.		par.
New Zealand Dist.	7 p. p. ann.		par.
Beast of Victoria...	10 p. p. ann.		£20 to £21.
Gov. & Mel. Rail. Co.	£5 1/2 to 10 p.	12	
Mel. M. S. & H. Co.	10 p. p. ann.	10	par.
W. & A. B. B. Co.	£5 & 8 p. ct.	10	par.
Melbourne & Hobsons	10 p. p. ann.	10	par.
Bay Railway Co.	10 p. p. ann.	10	par.

The prices of shares include the dividends from the last payment.

Shareholders are negotiated at interest of from 8 per cent. upon amount upwards.

N.B.—The Share List, with full particulars, may be had upon application to Mr. Barton.

W. BARTON, George-street,  
 December 1, 1855. Opposite the Bank of N. S. Wales.

SPIRITS AND TOBACCO.

DESCRIPTION.	Stock on hand Nov. 30, 1855.	Received during the month.	Delivered for Consumption.	Delivered for Exportation.	Stock on hand Dec. 1, 1855.
Gin.	Gin.	Gin.	Gin.	Gin.	Gin.

Rum, the produce of sugar—

Foreign States	18,849		18,849
Armen, Jews, and pain trees			
and other foreign trees	5,320		5,320
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Generals	50,781	6,048	4,733
British	10,181	1,404	895
English	5,400		180
Irish	4,781		283
Latin Spirits	1,113	638	633
and Scotch	113,050	751	739
Captains	5,372		2,573
Generals	30,368		10,778
and	830		80

THE RUSSIAN LANGUAGE.—The Russian language is one of the richest and most beautiful in the world. It is soft and agreeable in sound, and has not the defects of the Italian in being too effeminate. It contains many words that express the same ideas. If ever a language was adapted to the feelings of man, it will find an inexhaustible treasure in his native tongue. It is easy to express his thoughts; but at present there is scarcely any national literature, owing to the death of the Government.

THE GOLD PEVER.—This madness for gold is almost the destruction of all the use of social life—almost the annihilation of humanity. Human life, in the chase of strangers of all nations, rushing frantically for every quarter of the earth to enrich themselves, is, as may be supposed, but a wretched chess. Who is likely to care for any one but himself? The number of unrecorded dead, who are found and buried in a hasty grave, without anything frequently being known about them, is something frightful. There have been instances of people entering a tent, and finding a solitary man in the last stage of illness, without a friend or any means of help, where he has been lying days or weeks, and where he would have starved, all eager in the quest of a never able to be raised hand not foot, nor cry for help, though there were millions all around him. Others have been found in a similar situation with every sign of destitution about them, and not the slightest clue as to where they were or whence they came. Out of hundreds of thousands of adventurers, English and foreign, how many have friends who would give almost their own lives to earn money to help them, but they never will; for they either lie in these nameless graves, or, if they are sixty or eighty feet deep shafts, now deserted, and their sides fell in, burying their victims under many tons of clay.

Guardian office of the 30th, to which I reply how he will miss you, at the Rochdale station at twelve on the clock, on Thursday next, causing the date hereafter to be inserted in the regular paper servant at one o'clock, to be sent to the Rochdale station, to deliver your paper something like your note, carrying it in my right hand, hanging it down at full length of the arm, by the side.—From L. 93.—J. Kay." On the receipt of the interesting letter, signed by the paper servant at one o'clock, the hotel in Rochdale was induced to receive Mr. J. K.'s fair correspondent, and after a brief interview at the Rochdale railway station, where he appeared making the signal described, he connected with the Rochdale train, and was taken to the Rochdale quarters; it would seem, for these tender meetings. On arriving there he was received by a number of gentlemen assembled, with such marks of attention as to induce him to remain in the Rochdale quarters, unattentive, and he became very desirous to retire, but his friends were reluctant to lose his agreeable company so soon. The bollman was sent round to the Rochdale quarters, to accompany him to the Rochdale quarters. On view, a gentleman in want of a wife. Mr. J. K. was seen, at No. 3, Tweedle's Hotel." This brought a large accession of admiring friends, and one of the company having authority, unpersuaded by Mr. J. K. that he was not a cook, and that he was not a cook, he was readily distinguished, and received his compliment of undivided attention. Visitors docked

man who had advertised for a wife. This circumstance still it was too much for the endurance of Mrs. J. Key he became ill, weak, and implored permission to depart; and at length, after having been detained several days, he was obliged to go, on paying for a board of fancy to break his tormentors.

WINEY BOLAN SHELLEYS.—Shelley, indeed, was good and noble creature. His delight was to do good—to be useful to poor people. He was a man of the good of mankind led him, in his indignation against those that oppressed them and imposed upon them, to leap too far in his attack on those enemies, and to pass a scathing opinion on his friends. He was a man of conscientious opinion he sacrificed ease, honor, the world's attention, fortune and friendship. Never was there a more generous soul—so truly and purely pious as the noble Shelley. He was a man who took an interest in the poor's soul in him was the spirit of heaven and on all occasions. He was born in Field Place, in Sussex, on the 4th of August, 1792. He was the eldest of six children; his father, Sir Timothy Shelley, Bart., of Castle Shelley, in the county of Gloucester. Sir Timothy Shelley, do bears the family name. His family connections belonged to the high aristocracy of the House of Commons. He was brought up for the first seven

hence it is stated he never showed the least taste for the sports and amusements of boys. At the age of 16 he was at Eton, where he was constantly in opposition to his fellows for his flagging. He organized a conspiracy against it, and, for a time, compelled it to pursue. While thus resisting school tyranny, he was reading deeply of German romance and poetry; and to Bunzlöf, the hero of a romance which he had translated from the Black Forest, had been traced his fondness for the romantic, the marvellous, and the mystic. From Eton he went to Oxford, and the contests into which he entered there, as a member of the Principal of University college, on theological and metaphysical questions, which he carried off, have been the subject of much notice. No circumstance in history has made so much noise as this: on it turned the whole character of his destiny. He was expelled on a charge of having written the name of the Mary Magdalene on a wall, and write "Queen Mak." The actions of this portion of his life are the least defensible of any portion of it. He seemed restless, unhappy, and put into a more arduous career than he was fitted for. He was sent to University college, which he felt more deeply than was natural to him, or could have arisen had he been treated differently. At this period he made his first unfortunate marriage with a young woman of humble station, and she died, and he, in her distress, the some time afterwards drowned herself.

treaches; but, until the other day, we had no such example of a birth having taken place in that uncomfortable and dangerous locality—certainly not excusable in that which a lady might be expected to prefer as her abode for her confinement. The untidiness and sullied array around which so distinguishes our gallant allies are shared, it appears, by the ladies of their nation. A *buxom cantinière* accompanied her battalion to the trenches for her amusement. The restoration of the *petit véter*, and to brave with masculine courage, the storm of shot and shell. There was possibly some miscommunication in the matter, but the fact is, that to watch her escort mounted, assuming she gave birth to a twing. Mother and children are driving well.

**MEXICANILE AND MONDRIAN ARTICLES**

The amount of gold which has been imported into the Sydney branch of the Royal Mint during the week ending to-day (December 7) has been 17,996 ounces. The issue of coinage during the same period has been 45,000 sovereigns.

The gold sent received to-day by the Government account amounted to 1188 ozs. 3 dwts. 13 grs.

In the Wool market there appears much briskness. At the weekly sale of Messrs. Mort and Co., on Thursday last, the whole of the bales (with the exception of ten), were sold at an advance of 1d. to 1d. per lb. on the rate realised last week. On the opening of this season's clip, this shows a marked improvement.

In our Tallow market no change is mentioned. Beef of good quality is reported at £38 to £40. Mutton, £40 to £44. Station tallow, £37 to £41. Hides, for the best qualities, as high as 11s.

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Collected by Miss			
A Friend, F.R.S.	10	6	0
Ludolph T. Mullin	1	0	0
J. B. Hays	1	0	0
Ans. Reid	2	0	0
J. Reid	2	0	0
A. M. Evans	1	0	0
M. Fewest	12	13	0
E. Newton	1	0	0
Tompson	1	1	0
M. Darcy	1	1	0
J. Duran	1	0	0
R. Dougherty,			
London Creek	1	0	0
G. A. Friend	1	0	0
J. M. Donald	1	0	0
A. Fr. Heydon	1	0	0
A Friend	1	0	0
James Atkinson, Esq.	5	0	0
Wm. Campbell	5	0	0
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Mrs. L. Crockett's Collection			
Mr. Thomas Woolley	\$	5	0
Edward Lewis	"	5	0
John W. Smith	"	5	0
Captain Harold	"	5	0
Captain Ross	"	5	0
H. H. Harris	"	5	0
O'Neill	"	5	0
Baker	"	5	0
Kane	"	5	0
F. Friend	"	5	0
G. A. Friend	"	5	0
Mr. G. Urdiale	"	5	0
Miss Guthrie's collection	"	5	0
T. S. Cagney and T. Leach	"	5	0
T. G. Clark and Mrs. Clark	"	5	0
S. J. Garrison	"	5	0

Captain Brown	1 00	Miss C. Davis	
L. Corneo	3 00	Ellis Keating and M. O'Connell	
Mr. O'Connell	1 00	A. Friend and Mrs. Kelly	
Messrs. Friel and Hurley	3 00	M. Kelly	
M. Kelly	1 00	M. O'Connell	
Captain Nicholson	0 50	D. Outhert	
A. Friend	0 50	D. Reading and A. Friend	
Mr. O'Hare and O'Hall	4 00	J. O'Hall	
Mr. M. O'Hare	0 50	T. Long and Mr. H. O'Hall	
Mr. M. O'Hare	0 50	A. Friend and M. O'Hall	
Rev. F. O'Farrell	1 00	Mr. and Mrs. H. O'Hall	
Charles Newman	30 00	Collected by Mrs. Conner	
Members of the Rev. Peter Power, in the Society of Mount Gambier, South Australia, for the 25th Anniversary of the 1842	25 00	M. O'Hall	
Very Rev. Archdeacon M. Milford	5 00	P. Harte	
Sacred Heart, Mt. Gambier	1 50	Mountcastle	
M. Kinnear	1 00	M. Alexander	

Mr. Pearson	...	6	0	0	Mr. Walter, 10c., and	...	0
John Davis	...	5	0	0	Mr. Moss 5c.	...	0
B. Conaway	...	5	0	0	Messrs. Caird and Pat-	...	0
Cassey	...	5	0	0	erson	...	0
Head	...	2	0	0	Mr. Marks	...	1
Mrs. Head	...	1	0	0	Selma, Lyra, Debo-	...	0
Mr. J. Dwyer	...	4	0	0	rah, Maria, Francis,	...	0
Mary Evans' collec-	...	0	7	4	and Montague	...	0
tion	...	0	7	4	Marks	...	0
Mr. Comstock	...	4	0	0	Wm. Harris	...	0
T. Hart	...	2	0	0	P. Cohen, George-et-	...	0
Cleary	...	1	0	0	A Friend, with a box	...	0
Moss	...	2	0	0	of perfumery	...	0

Phineas ...	2	0	0	Mr. Hanson ...	1	0	0
A Friend ...	1	0	0	Mr. Morris ...	1	0	0
Ditto ...	1	0	0	Mrs. Annie Coburn ...	1	0	0
James Smith ...	1	0	0	Mr. George Piesinger ...	1	0	0
Mr. Weaver, per M. G. ...	1	0	0	Mr. Pollard, Queen's ...	1	0	0
Moore, Hogan and Carragher ...	10	0	0	Flax ...	1	0	0
Mr. Henry Herbert ...	1	0	0	Reston-Low Money, ...	1	0	0
Mr. J. W. Horton ...	0	7	6	East Main land ...	1	0	0
P. Keane ...	1	0	0	James Cleary, White ...	1	0	0
M. Nugent ...	1	0	0	Ray ...	1	0	0
E. Bailey ...	1	0	0	John Catty ...	1	0	0
John Finn ...	1	0	0	John M. Plunkett ...	1	0	0
				Total ...	43	48	4

J. H. PLUNKETT, Treasurer.

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THE UNDERSIGNED has the honour to express his most grateful acknowledgments to Benjamin John ...

and for having promised to contribute in all of their own and twenty per cent. of the proceeds of at least the first day's sale of all the property they have contemplated arrangements to make for the sale of the land, or the purchase of the same, and for the erection of the first stone of the intended church, are not as yet completely satisfied with the result. The sale of the land, however, is now later is unavoidably postponed till Saturday, the 15th inst. when the proceeds of the sale of the land will be applied to the purchase of the Blessed Mary, Virgin Mother of God.

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**BIBLE SOCIETY.—The Rev. M. H. BEMCHER**  
and **THOMAS CHARLES, Esq.**, the Deputation of the British and Foreign Bible Society of London, arrived about 10 o'clock on the 10th inst. at the residence of the Secretary, at the following order, viz.:

Meeting at Fenitiss .....	Monday, 10th December,
" Bowenville .....	Tuesday, 11th "
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Coke	00000000	00000000	0
Housemaids	00000000	00000000	10
Parasuites	00000000	00000000	8
General servants	00000000	00000000	23
Patm. servants	00000000	00000000	23
Nordlewomen	00000000	00000000	2

**Total** ..... **67**

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H. H. BROWN, Agent for Immigration  
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